

**CAC** Reporting Requirements

May 2017



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This presentation will explain the new requirement for CAC reporting, clarify the reporting template, and further detail the instructions for report items and submission timelines.

### Kentucky Regulation

900 KAR 10:200E, Section 12(3)(c) - http://www.lrc.ky.gov/kar/900/010/200.htm

Section 12. Certified Application Counselor Program.

- (1) The certified application counselor program shall comply with the provisions of 45 C.F.R. 155.225.
- (2) An organization may apply to the office to be designated as a certified application counselor.
- (3) Upon designation by the office to participate in the certified application counselor program, an organization shall:
  - (a) Act in the best interest of an applicant;
  - (b) Provide information in a manner that is accessible to individuals with disabilities directly or through a referral to an application assister; and

#### (c) Provide monthly reports of activities to the office.

- (4) Staff and volunteers of a certified application counselor organization shall act as an application assister to:
  - (a) Provide information about insurance affordability programs and QHP or SADP coverage options;
  - (b) Assist an individual or employee to apply for coverage in a QHP or SADP through the SBE-FP or an insurance affordability program through benefind; and
  - (c) Help to facilitate enrollment of a qualified individual in a QHP, SADP, or an insurance affordability program.
- (5) An individual operating as a certified application counselor shall:
  - (a) Be identified by a designated organization described in subsection (2) of this section as an employee or a volunteer of the designated organization;
  - (b) Agree to act in the best interest of an applicant;
  - (c) Provide information with reasonable accommodation for an individual with a disability, as defined by the Americans with Disabilities Act, if providing in-person assistance; and
  - (d) Register with the office through the Kentucky online gateway.

### Regulation Timelines



900 KAR 10:200E, Section 12(3)(c), took effect on November 1, 2016.



Certified Application Counselors are required to report monthly enrollment activities to the Kentucky Office of the Health Benefit and Information Exchange.



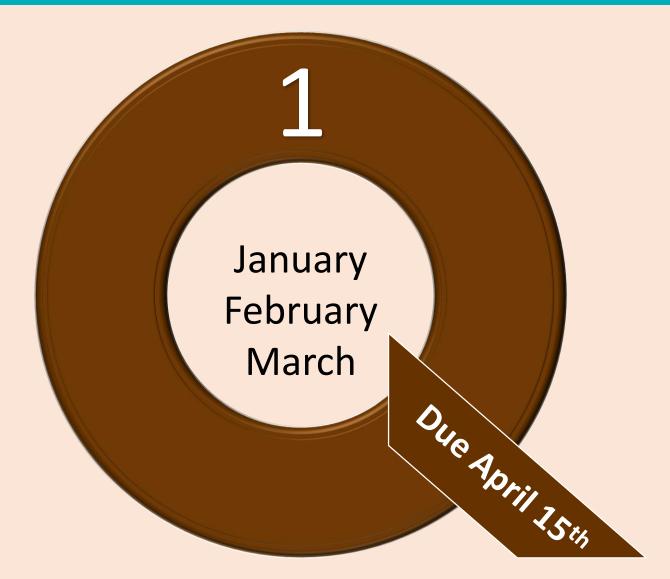
CAC will send their report quarterly.

Reports will be sent in March, June, Sept, and December.

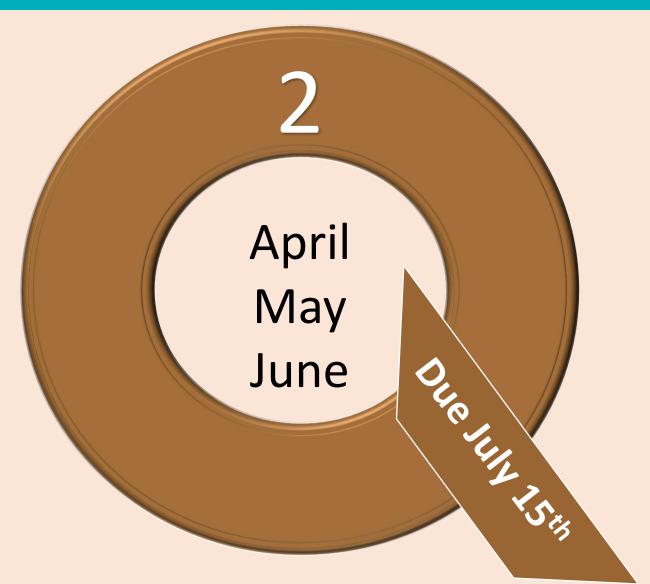
### **Quarterly Reports**



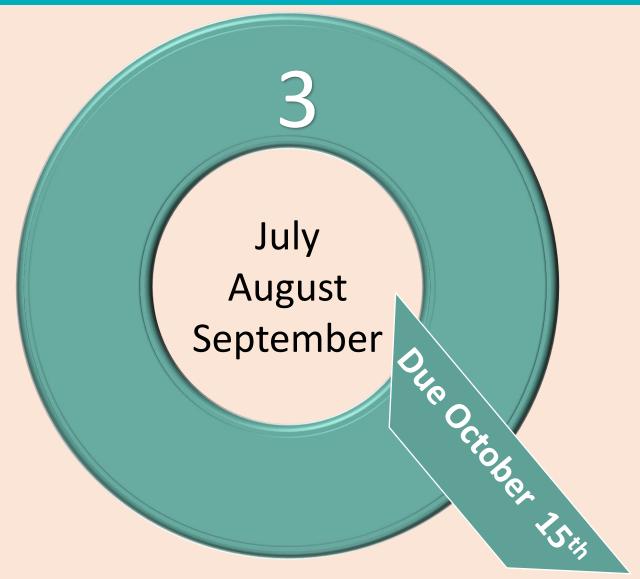
# First Quarter Q1



# Second Quarter Q2



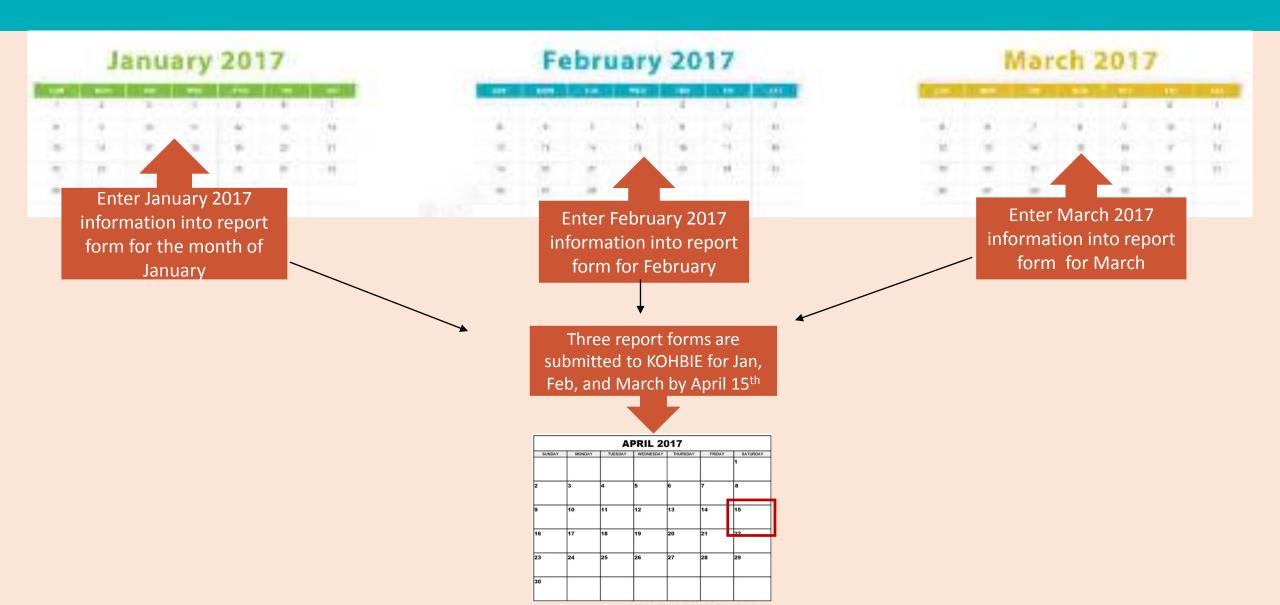
# Third Quarter Q3



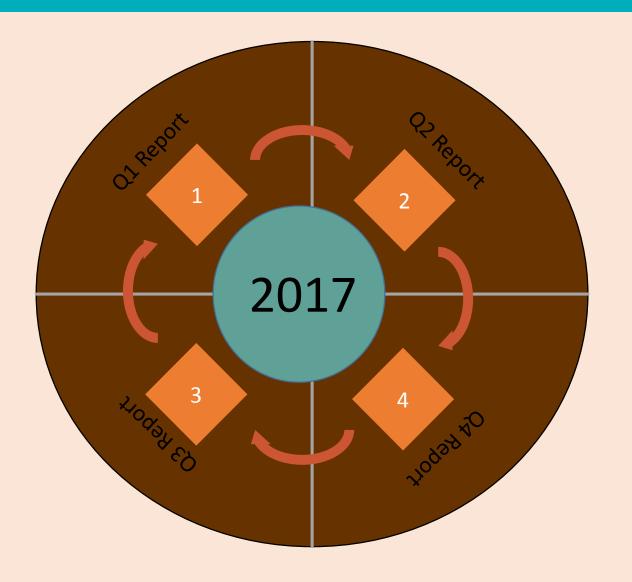
# Fourth Quarter Q4



### **Quarterly Reports**



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#### Four Reports per year:

April 15<sup>th</sup>

July 15<sup>th</sup>

October 15<sup>th</sup>

January 15<sup>th</sup> 2018

#### Three months at a time:

January/February/March

April/May/June

July August/September

October/November/December

#### **Twelve Forms:**

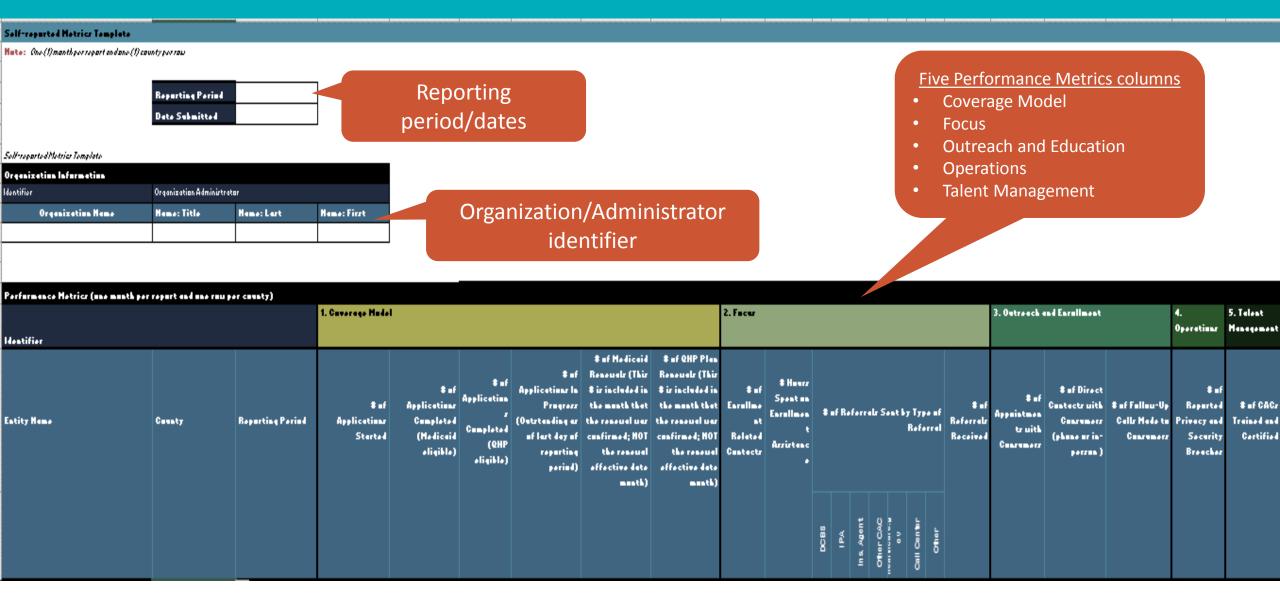
Each month is reported on one form



Completing and Submitting the Form

This section will review the form and each field. We will explain what information should be entered into each column as well as how to submit a completed form.

### **CAC Reporting Template Overview**



### Reporting Information

#### **Reporting Period**

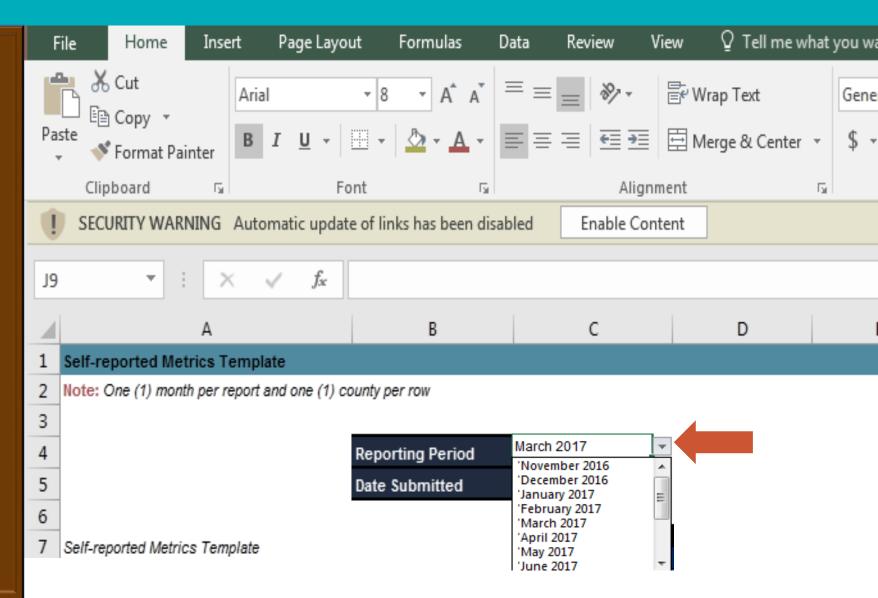
This is the time period being reported. Enter month that corresponds with the data being entered.

For Quarter 1, you will have one form for January, one form for February, one form for March.

#### **Date Submitted**

This is the date you send the report to KHBE.

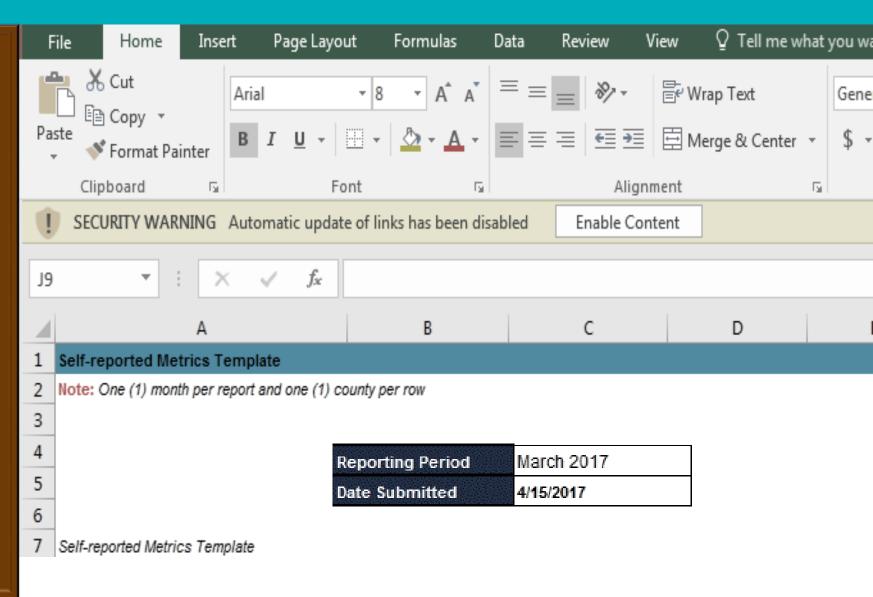
Quarter 1 is due April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017. As an example, you may enter April 12<sup>th</sup> if this is the date you submit your quarterly report.



### Reporting Information

#### **Example:**

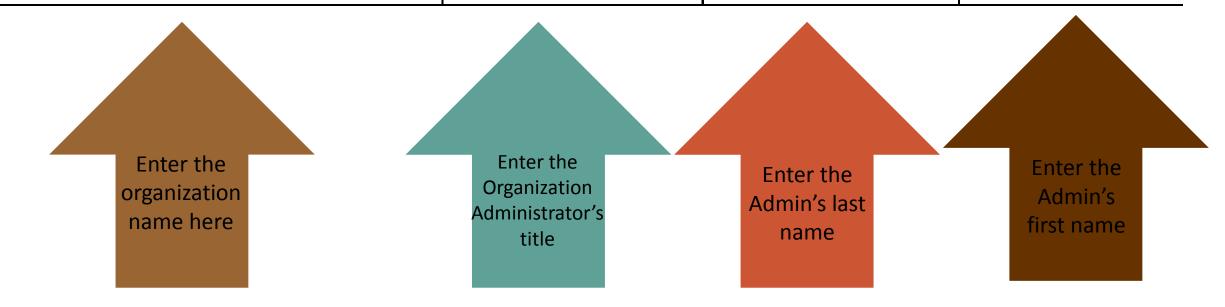
We selected March 2017 from the dropdown menu and entered 04/15/2017 as the date submitted to KHBE.



### Organization Information

Self-reported Metrics Template

Organization Information Identifier	Organization Administr	Organization Administrator								
Organization Name	Name: Title	Name: Last	Name: First							
Access to Justice Foundation	Director	Doe	Jane							



### Identifier Information

#### **Entity Name:**

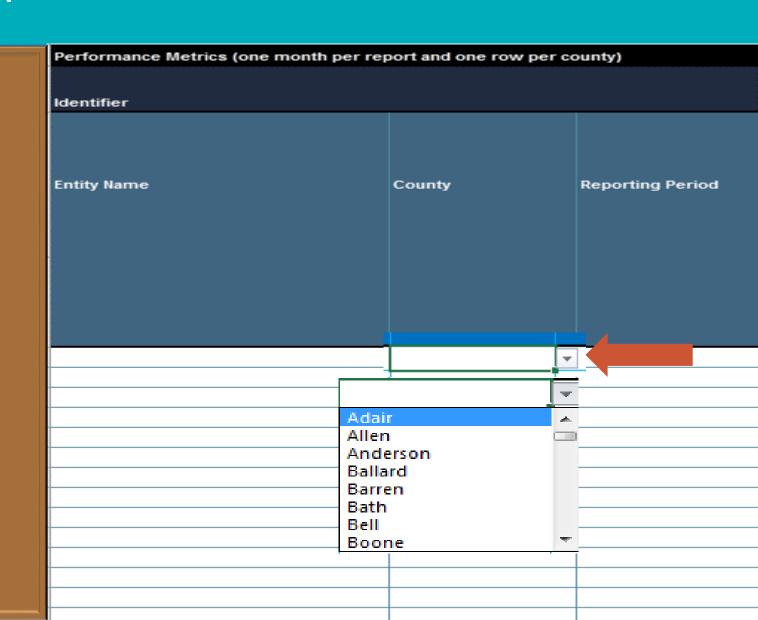
 Enter agency or branch name in this field

#### **County:**

- Use the drop down menu to select county
- Remember to use one row for each county.

#### **Reporting Period:**

 Enter the month for the data being entered



### Identifier Information

Example information entered:

Each country should be reported on its own line.

Reporting period: there will be three forms for one quarter.

Q1 report that is sent to KHBE will include a form for January, a form for February, and a form for March.

Identifier		
Entity Name	County	Reporting Period
Access to Justice	Fayette	March 2017

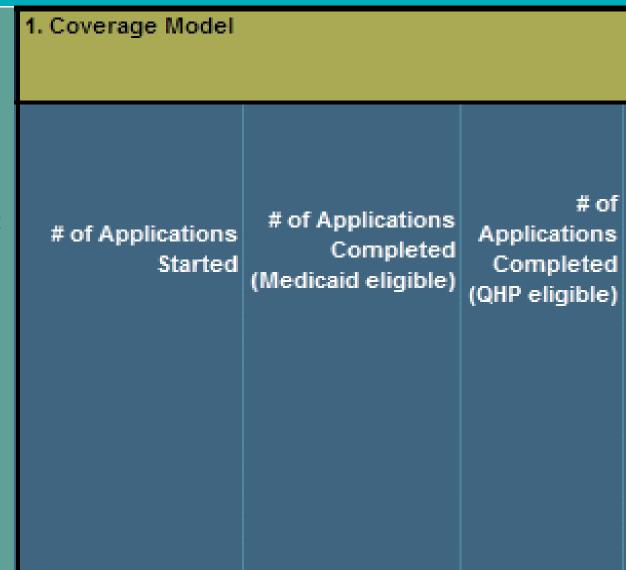
### 1. Coverage Model

# of Applications Started: how many applications were started for residents of this county that did not have coverage or started a new application?

#### # of Applications Completed:

- Medicaid eligible-applications completed that client did not have existing coverage. (Can include previously started applications)
- QHP eligible- applications completed that client did not have existing coverage. (Can include previously started applications)

Completed is defined as an eligibility determination has been generated. Some completions may not include an enrollment.



### 1. Coverage Model (continued)

#### # of Applications in Progress:

 Enter the number of applications that have been started but not completed.

Some of these applications may have been started in previous months.

#### # of Medicaid Renewals:

- Enter number of Medicaid renewals completed during the report month.
- It counts as a renewal if the client still had benefits at the time of renewal.
- If they had been terminated, it is a new application.
- Renewals are reported in the month they are completed, which may not be the month they are started.

#### # of QHP Renewals:

Will be zero until next open enrollment period

#### **Renewals:**

The number of Medicaid or QHP renewals is counted in the month the renewal is confirmed, not the effective date month.

# of Applications
In Progress
(Outstanding as
of last day of
reporting period)

# of Medicaid
Renewals (This #
is included in the
month that the
renewal was
confirmed; NOT
the renewal
effective date
month)

# of QHP Plan Renewals (This # is included in the month that the renewal was confirmed; NOT the renewal effective date month)

### 1. Coverage Model (continued)

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# of Applications Started	# of Applications Completed (Medicaid eligible)		# of Applications In Progress (Outstanding as of last day of reporting period)	# of Medicaid Renewals (This # is included in the month that the renewal was confirmed; NOT the renewal effective date month)	# of QHP Plan Renewals (This # is included in the month that the renewal was confirmed; NOT the renewal effective date month)
50	32	10	8	15	0

50 new applications32 completed for Medicaid10 completed for QHP

8 applications in progress15 Medicaid Renewals0 QHP Renewals

### 2. Focus

#### # of Enrollment Related Contacts

Enter number of case related contacts. At minimum this will be the sum of your applications started plus renewals. Also include "case work" for example, reporting a change,

#### # Hours spent on Enrollment Assistance

uploading documents, etc.

Enter time spent on enrollments or follow-up activities.

#### # of Referrals Sent by Type of Referral

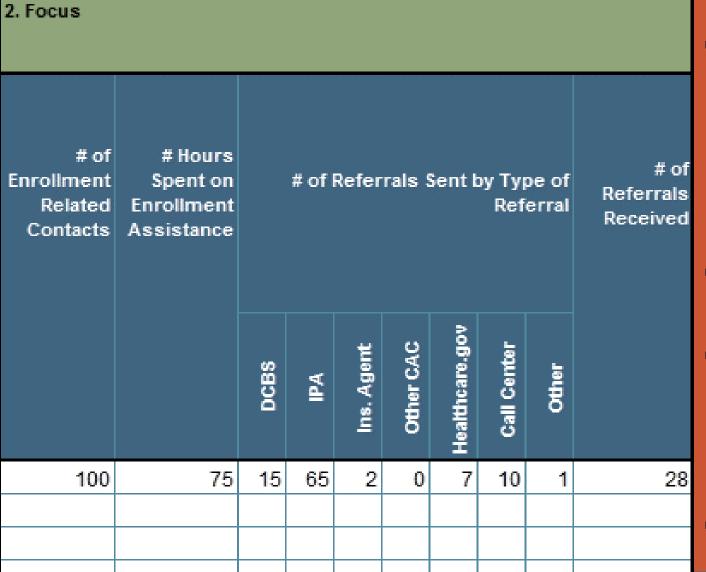
Enter referrals sent to other entities. Seven entity categories (including "Other") are listed in order to provide greater detail.

#### # of Referrals Received

 Enter referrals received from any source, including the call center.

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			DCBS	IPA	Ins. Agent	Other CAC	Healthcare.gov	Call Center	Other									

### 2. Focus



- Remember that an enrollment related contact is any interaction that is driven by enrollment efforts. This includes activity such as:
  - applications
  - renewals
  - reporting a change
  - uploading documents
- Hours are the cumulative total of all hours for the CAC for the month.
- Referrals Sent is a count of the number of times you had to send a consumer to another entity. You may complete an application, then refer someone to DCBS to complete a SNAP application. This would be counted in the first column for DCBS.
- You will also enter the number of referrals you receive.

### 3. Outreach and Enrollment

#### # of Appointments with Consumers

Enter the number of appointments by consumer's county of residence.

# # of Direct (phone or in-person) Contacts with Consumers

 Enter the number of all direct contacts including enrollment and other outreach and education related contacts by county.

#### # of Follow-Up Calls Made to Consumers

 Enter the number of follow-up calls an assister makes for each consumer's county of residence.

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183

39

In the Outreach and Enrollment section, you will enter information on these efforts.

Count the number of appointments with consumers

Direct contact may be phone calls or face to face interactions. These may be interactions from public events.

Any follow up with consumers should be counted. This may be new clients who have not applied or may be to an existing client who is close to their renewal date.

### 4. Operations

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# of Reported Privacy and Security Breaches # of Reported Privacy and Security Breaches

If consumer PI is compromised, this form should not be the first time a privacy or security breach is reported. Any privacy or security breaches should be reported to your program coordinator immediately and then accounted for on this form.

4. Operations

# of Reported Privacy and Security Breaches

## 5. Talent Management

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> # of CACs Trained and Certified

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Enter the total number of staff that were trained and certified as of that month. Enter the information in the corresponding county where their home office is located.

5. Talent Management

> # of CACs Trained and Certified

# Completed CAC Reporting Template

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Access to Justice	Fayette	March 2017	50	32	10	8	15	0	68	78	5	12 2	2 0	3 2	1	28	39	183	125	0	2

### **Best Practices**

- Use search function on the Assister Dashboard in SSP
- Administrators can use the export function

Assister Dashboard



- Assisters and organizations may benefit from using a daily tracking form.
- Modify or add this reporting criteria to what you are already tracking.

Tracking forms

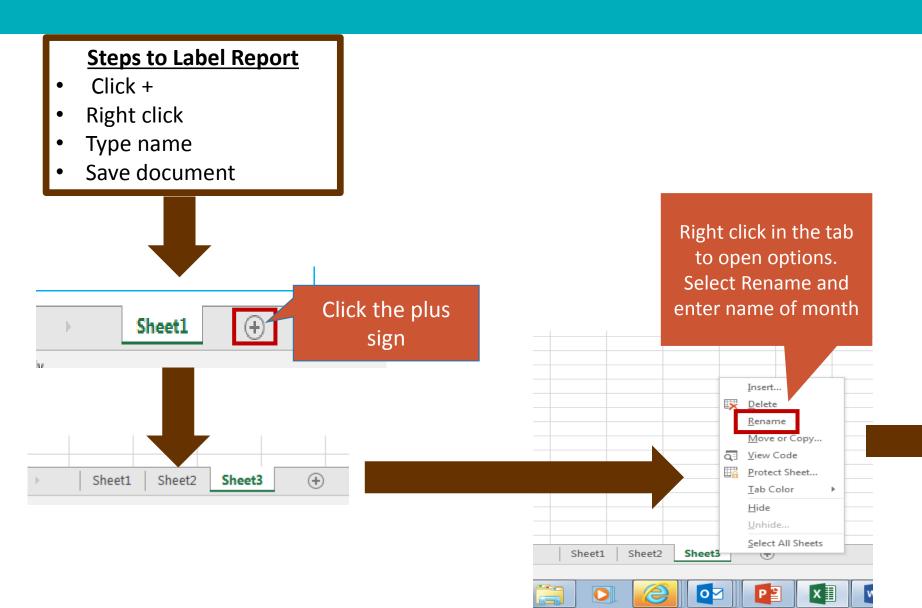


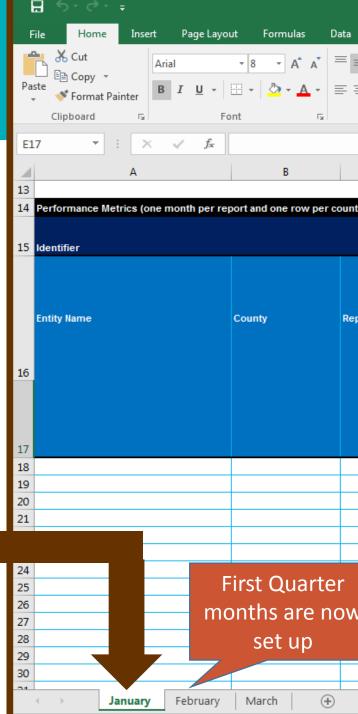
- Add activity to current daily appointment mechanism.
- Create an appointment calendar for each reporter.
- Make sure everyone is counting the same way

Appointment Calendar



### **Best Practices**





### **Best Practices**

- Count daily activity
- Tally weekly

Weekly



Keep each month separate

Monthly



 Plan ahead to ensure report is submitted by due date.

Quarterly



### Submitting the Report



Reports should be sent electronically to the KOHBIE general mailbox at KHBE.Kynect@ky.gov.

Please be sure to label your **SUBJECT LINE** as follows:

CAC 1ST QUARTER REPORT FOR (INSERT ORGANIZATION NAME).

If you have any questions regarding this requirement or you may also send those communications via email to <a href="mailto:KHBE.Kynect@ky.gov">KHBE.Kynect@ky.gov</a>.

CACs are at risk of losing their certification to assist the public and will lose KOG access if KHBE does not receive reports.

# Summary

Reporting is a requirement per regulation

http://lrc.ky.gov/KAR/900/010/200E.htm

Each month is reported on its own form

At the end of the year, there should be 12 forms completed. One for each month.

Monthly forms are sent together Quarterly

Do not send reports monthly. See the quarterly schedule for submitting report.

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Send reports to Kentucky Health Benefit Exchange

Send report electronically to KHBE.Kynect@ky.gov

#### Best Practices

Don't wait until the quarter is over before you go back to count activity.

Use any current tracking methods your organization uses.

**Keep it simple** 

If you have a problem or issue, reach out to KHBE

Keep data in a shared location. Not lost if someone leaves the organization.

# Webinar Q & A

#### Question:

If a CAC works for a hospital, do they count the hospital as a referral each time?

#### **Answer:**

No, not for incoming referrals. Only referrals that the organization has sent a patient to someone else.

For any other questions or assistance please email <a href="mailto:khbe.kynect@ky.gov">khbe.kynect@ky.gov</a>



